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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of AVALLE

Application No.

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For:

PROCESS FOR THE SURFACE DECORATION OF A COSMETIC

PRODUCT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to the calculation of the filing fee, or examination on the merits, please amend the application identified above as follows.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.